

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING YELLOW FLOWER BY CONTROLLING FLAVONOID SYNTHETIC PATHWAY		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the NON-FINAL Office Action mailed September 23, 2009, the Office is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments and response in the above-identified application. The present response is timely filed on or before December 23, 2009.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.

A **PTO-1449 form** is attached.